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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116 -
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Examiner: VAN PELT, BRADLEY J Art Unit: 3682
Title: HYBRID POWER SYSTEM WITH EXTERNAL AUXILIARY MOTOR

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION TRANSMITTAL

1. Transmitted herewith is a response to an office action for this application.

STATUS

2. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 apply. Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, a conditional petition is hereby made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

3. **FEE FOR CLAIMS:**

The fee for claims has been calculated as follows:

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